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In re the Application of

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## CONFIRMATION CLAIM FOR PRIORITY

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

The benefit of the filing date of the following foreign applications filed in the following foreign country and priority provided in the 35 USC §119 have been claimed for the above-identified application:

JAPANESE PATENT APPLICATION NO. 08-082306 FILED April 4, 1996.

A certified copy of this priority document was filed on August 26, 1997 in parent application serial no. 08/831,430 filed April 1, 1997.

It is requested that the file of this application be marked to indicate that the requirements of 35 USC §119 have been fulfilled and that the Patent and Trademark Office kindly acknowledge receipt of these papers.

Respectfully submitted,

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